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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor: Christopher Peiffer

For: STRING MATCHING METHOD AND DEVICE

Enclosed are also:

- ☒ 12 sheets of drawings.
- ☒ Declaration/Power of Attorney Form

Claims as Filed  
SMALL ENTITY

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